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In re: U. S. Patent No. 6,758,963 to Sylvain S. Hantzer, et al.
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**DECISION ON PETITION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(a)**

Title: Hydroprocessing Using Bulk Group VIII/Group
VIB Catalysts

This is a decision on the PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP IN A NON-PROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION filed November 1, 2004 to correct inventorship under 37 CFR 1.48(a) by adding the names of Gary P. Schleicher, Stuart L. Soled and Sabato Miseo to the list of inventors of the instant application.

The requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) require: (1) submitting a request to correct the inventorship that sets forth the desired inventorship change; (2) providing a statement from each person being added as an inventor that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part; (3) providing a declaration of the actual inventors as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.63; (4) providing the processing fee set forth in 1.17(i); and, (5) providing the written consent of the assignee.

Applicant's petition is not accompanied by Item (3) as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a). See also MPEP 201.03. This request is therefore **Denied**.

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